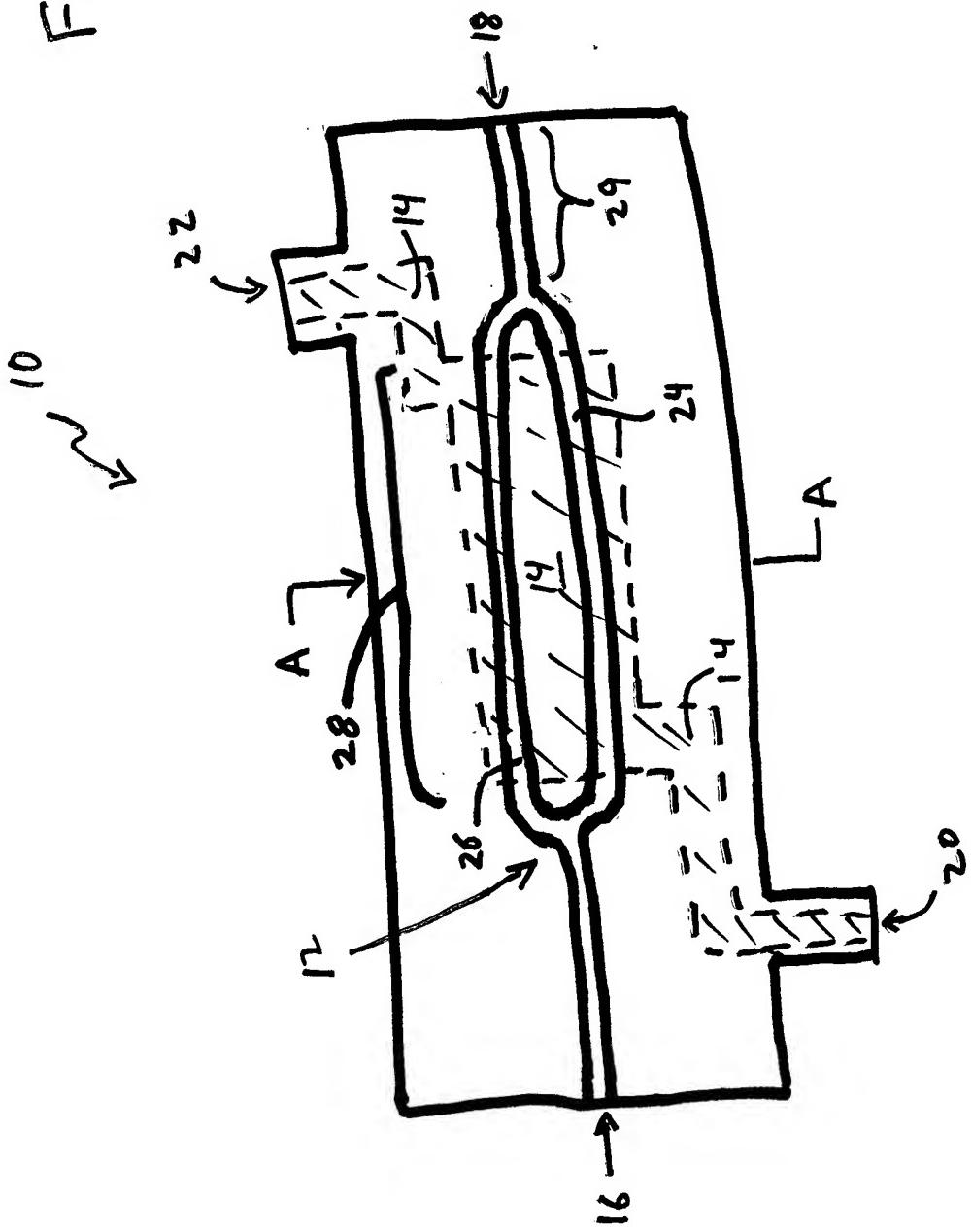


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Fig. 2

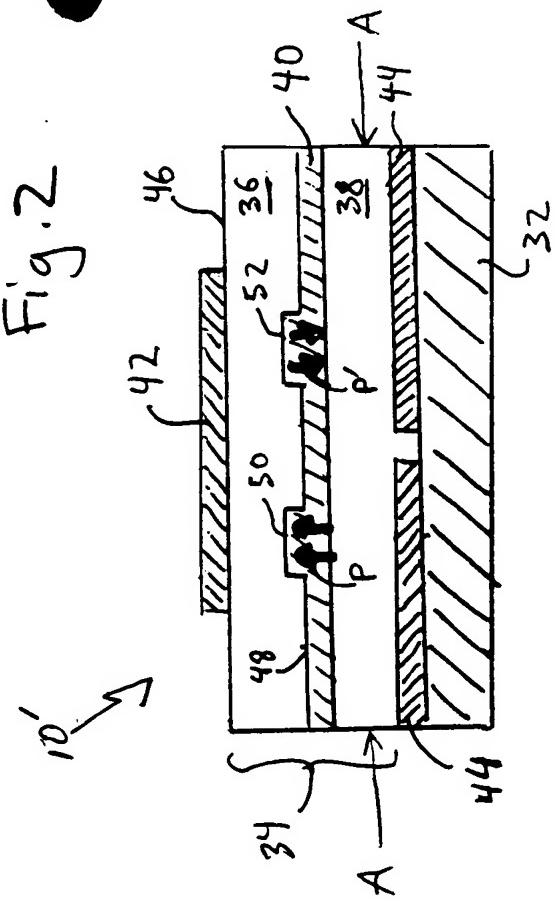
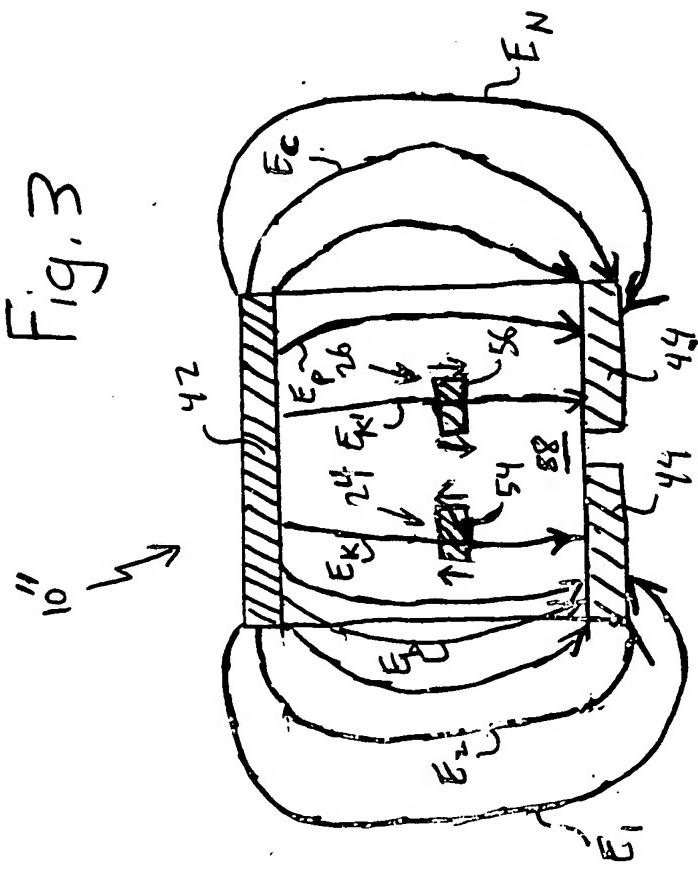


Fig. 3



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Transmitting an optical carrier wave
to an optical waveguide of a modulator

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Transmitting a control wave to a control
waveguide to electro-optically modulate
the velocity of the optical carrier wave in
the optical waveguide, the effective re-
fractive index seen by the control wave
inside the modulator's dielectric being
larger than the effective refractive
index seen by the optical carrier wave

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Interfering the modulated optical
carrier wave with another mutually
coherent carrier wave

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Transmitting the interfered waves
to an output waveguide

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FIG. 4

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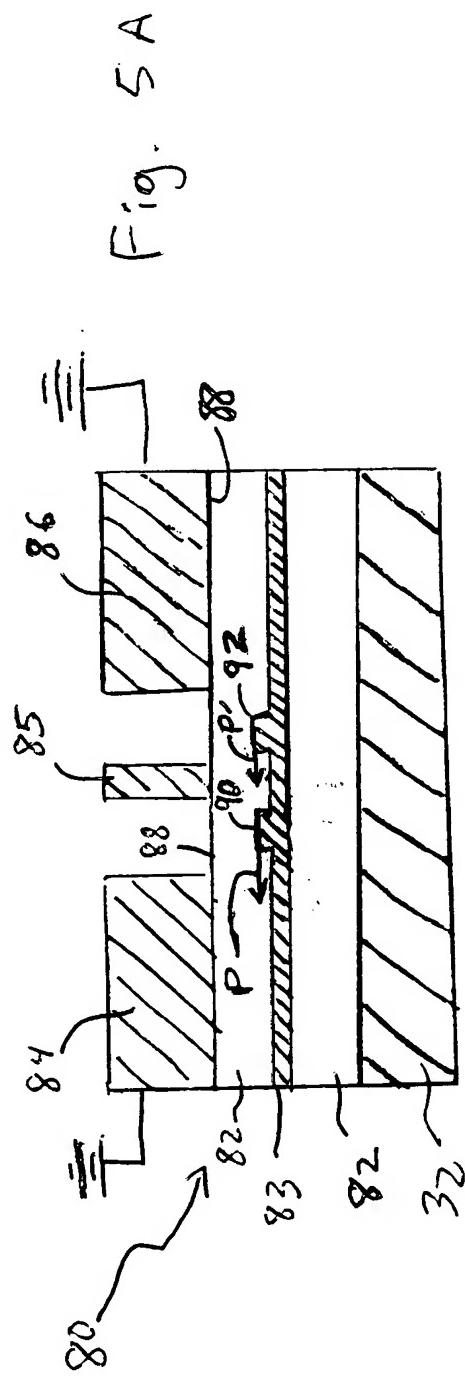
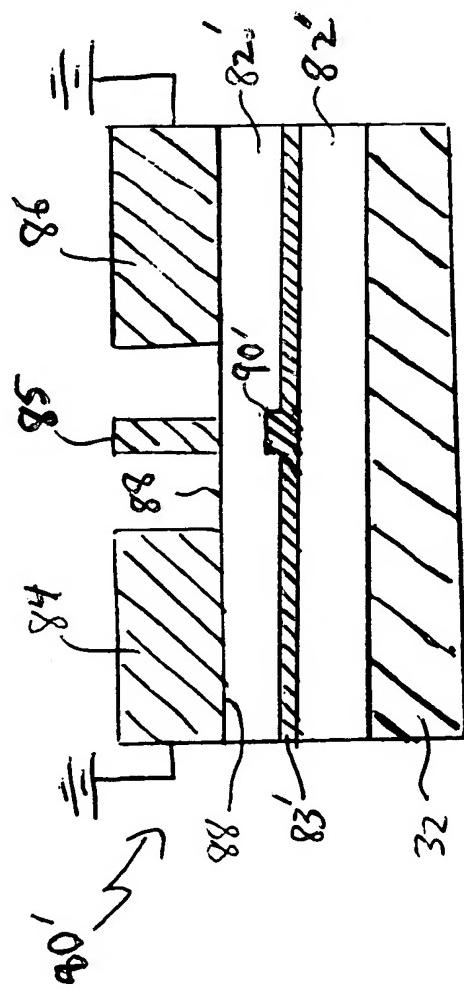


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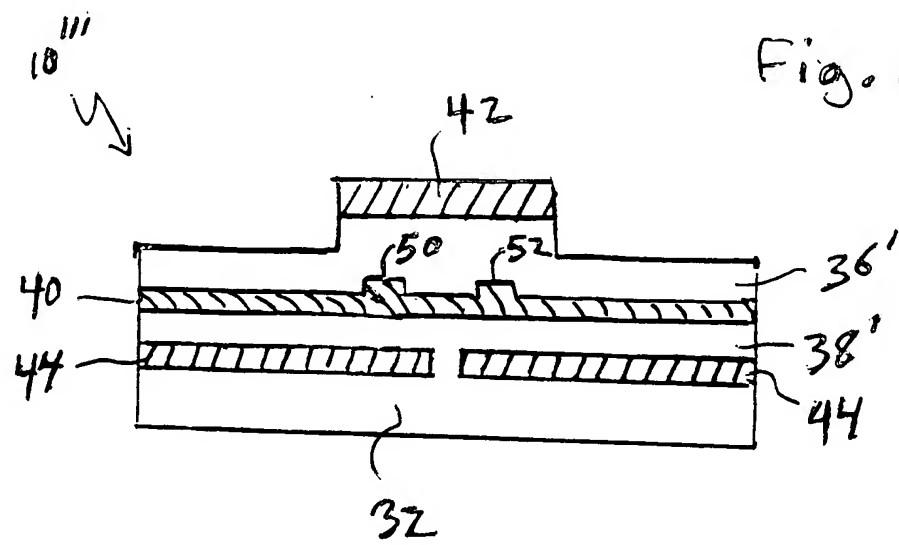
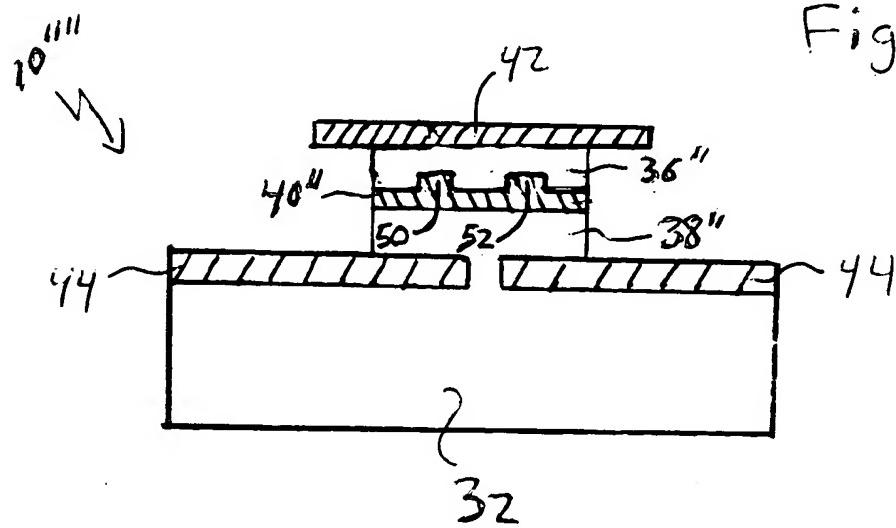


Fig. 7



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